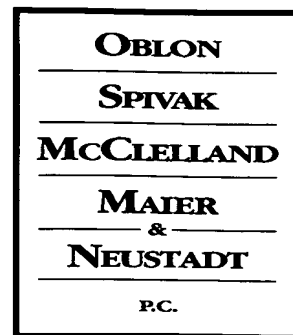




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VALUE  
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SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

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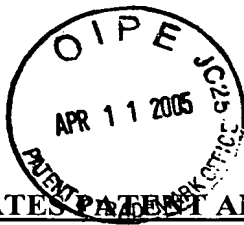
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The Patent Office is respectfully requested to inform the undersigned of the approximate date on which further action will be taken on this Application. An Amendment was filed July 8, 2004, responsive to an Office Action mailed April 8, 2004. An Information Disclosure Statement and Cited References (2) were filed February 7, 2005.

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